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Will the Minister of INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

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(a) whether information technology has brought forth a new revolution in the field of industry in the country;

(b) if so, whether increased people participation is also a feature of this revolution;

(c) if so, the estimated percentage of people`s participation in this sector during the years 1990-91, 1995-96 and 1999-2000 in the country; and

(d) the percentage of this participation in the forthcoming years 2005-2006 and 2010-2011?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN)

(a),(b),(c) and (d): There is great potential for Information Technology in the economic development of the country. As ITrevolution in India is in its initial stage, no specific study has been conducted to determine people`s participation.